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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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FOR: METHODS FOR STERILIZING BIOLOGICAL MATERIALS CONTAINING NON-AQUEOUS SOLVENTS

Enclosed are:

1. [X] 58 pages of specification, claims, abstract
 2. [X] 25 sheets of FORMAL drawing.
 3. [] ____ pages of newly executed Declaration & Power of Attorney (copy or original).
 4. [] Priority Claimed to ----- Appln. No(s). -----, whose entire disclosure is incorporated herein by reference.
 5. [X] Applicant claims Small Entity Status.
 6. [] Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.
 10. [X] Authorization under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).
 11. [] Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)
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CLAIMS AS FILED

For	No. Filed	No. Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	302	- 20	X \$9.00	\$2,538.00
Indep. Claims	8	- 3	X \$40.00	\$ 200.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (If applicable)				X \$135.00 \$ 135.00
				BASIC FEE \$ 355.00
				TOTAL FILING FEE \$3,228.00

This is a Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: _____ filed _____. Incorporation By Reference-The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

- [] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
 --This application is a continuation-in-part of Application Serial No. _____ filed _____.--
 A check in the amount of \$ _____ (Check # _____) is attached.
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